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SUBJECT: THE MILITARY SITUATION IN SOUTH VIETNAM

The South Vietnamese have completed a major operation, which included armored and air strikes, in the Parrot's Beak region of Cambodia west of Saigon. No major battles were reported during the four-day sweep, but official sources are claiming heavy enemy losses. A sharp clash erupted near the Cambodian - Military Region 4 border on May 2, according to press reports. Elsewhere, the level of Communist military action remained relatively moderate in the form of harassing shellings and terrorism.